



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 5970

LCO No. 2466



Referred to Committee on APPROPRIATIONS

Introduced by:
REP. MILLER, 36th Dist.

AN ACT REQUIRING FULL FUNDING OF THE EDUCATION COST-SHARING GRANT.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to require an additional seven
- 2 hundred million dollars be added to the 2016-2017 biennial budget to
- 3 fully fund the education cost-sharing grant, with such funds to come
- 4 from raising income tax rates on individuals earning more than two
- 5 hundred fifty thousand dollars annually and couples earning more
- 6 than four hundred thousand dollars annually, to allow municipalities
- 7 to forego planned property tax increases and provide true property tax
- 8 reform.

Statement of Purpose:

To fully fund the education cost-sharing grant and provide property tax relief by asking those who have been least harmed by the recent recession to pay their fair share.